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A New Torpedo-Boat.

The Paris correspondent of the London 'Times' writes, under date of March 12, as follows:—"Some very interesting experiments were made a few days ago at Cherbourg with the little submarine vessel called the Thorneycroft. It was the occasion of testing in French waters whether a torpedo could be launched against a ship in full sail. Accordingly, Admiral Jaurez, who commands the squadron, ordered a disabled ship, the Bayonnaise, during a rather rough sea, to be towed out by a steamer belonging to the Navy. A Second Lieutenant, M. Lemoinne, was sent for and informed that he had been selected to make the experiment of launching the Thorneycroft against the Bayonnaise while both were in full sail. He accepted the mission without hesitation, picked out two engine-men and a pilot, and went with them into the interior of the Thorneycroft, of which only a small part was above water; this visible portion being painted of a grayish color, so as to be easily confused with the sea. The torpedo was placed so as to project from the bow of the vessel, at the extremity of which were lateen sailyards about three metres in length. The towing steamer then took its position in front of the squadron, and the Thorneycroft also assumed the position assigned for it, an interval of three or four marine miles separating the torpedo and the Bayonnaise. On a signal being given, both were set in motion, the steamer advancing in a straight line, and the Thorneycroft obliquely, so as to take the Bayonnaise in flank. The steam tug went at fourteen knots an hour, going at full speed in order to escape the Thorneycroft. The latter went at nineteen knots an hour, the squadron keeping in the rear, so as to witness the operations. At the end of that time the distance between the Thorneycroft and the Bayonnaise had sensibly diminished, and at a given moment the former, in order to come up with the latter at the requisite distance, had to slacken speed to eight knots an hour. The whole squadron watched the last phase of the struggle with breathless interest, and people asked themselves whether the shock of the torpedo would not infallibly destroy the little vessel which bore it. It was feared that the lives of the Second Lieutenant, Lemoinne, and his three companions were absolutely sacrificed. However, the two vessels got visibly nearer. All at once the Thorneycroft put on a last spurt, and struck the Bayonnaise with its whole force on the starboard bow. The sea was terribly agitated, a deafening report was heard, and the Bayonnaise, with a rent as big as a house, sank with wonderful rapidity. As for the Thorneycroft, rebounding by the shock about fifteen metres off, even before the explosion occurred, it went round and round for a few moments, and then quietly resumed the direction of the squadron. No trace remained of the Bayonnaise; it was literally swallowed up by the sea. Unanimous plaudits greeted the courageous sailors as they joined the Admiral's squadron to report on the mission they had accomplished. The experiment was repeated two days later, under the same conditions, with another disabled ship, and with the same success, and, in the opinion of competent men, this is one of the most decisive torpedo experiments which have yet been made. The little torpedo boat, with its lateen sailyards, resembles a small gray vizard, and is scarcely discernable in the water. It is evident that a single boat of this kind would be unable to approach an enemy's ship unless at dusk, or when it would be impossible to distinguish it at a distance, for had such an attack been attempted in broad daylight the Thorneycroft would manifestly have been knocked to pieces by the guns of the threatened ship before it could have carried out its project. On the other hand, it would be quite impossible for one or even several ships to defend themselves against a simultaneous attack, say, by twenty or twenty-five Thorneycrofts; and, as these cost only a fiftieth part of the expenses of a man-of-war, this experiment presents a formidable problem to State navies. What is certain is that those who witnessed the affair were greatly impressed by it, and are persuaded that it is the startling point of an inevitable transformation in naval tactics.

Sensible Advice.

You are asked every day through the columns of newspapers and by your Druggists to use something for Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint that you know nothing about, you get discouraged spending money with but little success. Now to give you satisfactory proof that GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER will cure you of Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint with all its effects, such as sour stomach, Sick Headache, Habitual Costiveness, Palpitation of the Heart, Heart-burn, Water brash, coming up of food after eating, low spirits &c., we ask you to go to your Druggist ......and get a Sample Bottle of GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER for 10 cents and try it, of a Regular Size for 75 cents, two doses will relieve you.

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But of his brushes and his blacking,
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Sole Agent for B. C.
VICTORIA, V. I., March 23, 1877. mh30

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Victoria, B.C., 19th Feb, 1877. fe20

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For particulars apply to
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ap11 Address Box 32 P. O.

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Now doing a good trade, together with Horses, Wagons and other appurtenances necessary to the business. Apply to W. R. CLARKE,
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Victoria, B.C., March 20, 1877. mh21

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A TINSHOP AT LAKETOWN, DEASE Creek, Cassiar, with House, Lot, Tools and Stock on hand. Does a large business.
For particulars enquire of
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Fare, 25 Cents.

Parcels left at W J Jeffree's clothing store will be promptly delivered.
mh27 JOHN PORTER, Proprietor.

Repairs, Painting, &c.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED ON BEhalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, between 9 a.m. and Noon on Friday the 20th instant, for sundry improvements, Repairs, Painting, &c, to be executed at the Naval Yard, Naval Hospital and at Cole Island.

Specifications can be seen at this office any day (Saturday afternoon excepted) between 9 a. m. and 5 p. m., and particulars can likewise be obtained from Mr. J. Teague, Architect, Victoria.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
JAMES H. INNES,
Royal Naval Yard, Naval Storekeeper.
Esquimalt, 12th April, 1877. ap13

Land Registry Ordinance, 1870.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT IN pursuance of the provisions of "The Land Registry Ordinance, 1870," I shall issue, in the name of James Fleming, a duplicate Certificate of Title (in lieu of the original alleged to have been lost) to Section 8 Range VII in the Quamichan District, unless cause be shown to the contrary within one month from the date hereof.
H. B. W. AIKMAN, Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office, 11th April, 1877. ap12 1m*

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Architect, &c.,
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Notices.

Estate of W. P. Marsh, Deceased.

PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the Estate of the late W. P. Marsh are requested to send them to the undersigned, to whom persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to make payment of the same forthwith.
MATTHEW TROTTER JOHNSTON,
THOMAS CHANCEY NUTTALL,
Executors.
March 23, 1877. mh24

NOTICE.

THE BOARD OF CEMETERY TRUSTEES invite Tenders for the Purchase of the undermentioned Valuable Properties, situate in and near the City of Victoria:—

Lot 1.—Subsections 32 and 33 of Section 18, Victoria District, commonly known as Nias' Point, and containing 9 acres and a quarter (more or less).

Lot 2.—Subsections 18, 19, 21 and 22 of the said Section 18 (now within the limits of the City of Victoria), commonly known as Medana's Grove, and containing 11 acres and a half (more or less).

SEPARATE TENDERS may also be made for the two Subsections 18 and 21, containing 6 acres (more or less); and for the two Subsections 19 and 22, containing 5 acres and a half (more or less).

TENDERS will be received up to **12 o'clock at noon on Tuesday the First day of May next**, at the office of the undersigned, where a Plan of the properties may be seen.

Neither the highest nor any tender will necessarily be accepted.
J. ROLAND HETT.
Bastion St., Victoria,
10th March, 1877. mh11

EDUCATION.

CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES WILL be commenced on Wednesday, the 20th inst., in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra streets, by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.

A class for boys under 8 years of age will also be formed. For particulars apply to
ja14 MRS. CRIDGE.

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Township No. 23.

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that the following subdivision of land in Township No. 23 is reserved for Government purposes:—
Lot 245, Group 2.
F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Departm't.,
Victoria, Feb 17th, 1877. fe18

NOTICE.

KAMLOOPS DIVISION OF YALE DISTRICT.

PUBLIC HIGHWAY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the following highway, sixty-six feet (66) in width, is herby established in the Kamloops Division of Yale District, viz:—

Commencing at a point in the existing road opposite Fortune's flour mill, situated on the North West quarter of section 15, Township No. 201; thence in a Westerly direction following the centre line of the present road, 1050 links more or less, to a point in the section line between sections 15 and 16, and distant 1250 links due South from the corner between Sections 15, 16, 21 and 22; thence

S. 64 deg 30 min. W. magnetic 1000 links,
S. 15 deg. 00 min. W. " 840 links.
S. 53 deg. 00 min. W. " 470 links,

to the shore of Kamloops Lake, including thirty-three (33) feet on each side thereof.
F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, Feb. 17th, 1877. fe18

NOTICE

SPRING CIRCUIT.

A COURT OF ASSIZE AND GAOL DElivery, and of Nisi Prius, will be held at each of the undermentioned places at eleven o'clock in the forenoon and the following days, and all witnesses are hereby notified to attend thereat.

Victoria..........Wednesday, 16th May.
Nanaimo..........Monday, 9th May.
New Westminster..Wednesday, 30th May.

By Command,
A. C. ELLIOTT,
ap17 Attorney-General and Prov. Secretary.

Appointments.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
April 7th, 1877.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to appoint H. B. W. AIKMAN, Esq., to act as Registrar under and to carry out the "Marriage Ordinance, 1867," and the "Marriage Ordinance Amendment Act, 1872." ap10

Cattle Trespassing.

ALL CATTLE HEREAFTER TRESPASSing on Government House Grounds will be impounded or the owners prosecuted for the damage.
Government House, 15th March, 1877 mh16

City of Victoria, B. C., To Wit.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT William Marshall will, on Saturday, the 28th day of April inst., at 12 o'clock noon, apply to the sitting Bench of Magistrates at the Police Court, Government street, Victoria, for a License to sell wines, beer and spirituous liquors by retail at the premises known as the North Pacific Saloon, Yates and Wharf streets, in the said city.
April 1.th 1877. ap14

BILL POSTING.

MR. WELTON, JANITOR OF THEATRE Royal, will attend to posting and distributing bills of every description in Victoria and vicinity. Orders may be left at THE COLONIST Office. de2

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE UNdersigned are required to settle their accounts on or before the 2 th day of April next. All accounts not then paid will be placed in the hands of my solicitor for collection.
W. R. CLARKE,
Government St.
Victoria, B.C., March 20, 1877. mh21

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CROCKERY,
GLASSWARE,
Cutlery, Carpets
And all kinds of
HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS
—AT—
Mansell & Holroyd's,
Corner of Yates and Douglas Street.
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INSURANCE COMPANY
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MARINE INSURANCE
COMPANY (Limited.)
OF LIVERPOOL.

THE UNDERSIGNED ARE AUTHORIZed to accept
Marine Risks on Merchandise by the Pacific Mail S.S. Co.'s Steamers from Victoria to San Francisco.
ENGELHARDT & CO.
Victoria, March 7, 1877. mh8 1m

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Surgical & Mechanical
DENTIST,
LATE OF SAN FRANCISCO.
OFFICE:
Right Hand side of Staircase,
SPENCER'S PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY
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DENTIST,
Office, - - - Occidental Building,
(Up Stairs.)
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VICTORIA, B. C.

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FOR SALE.

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THE LADIES OF VICTORIA ARE INvited by the undersigned to inspect the Fluting and Plaiting Machine now in her possession. Samples of 40 different sorts of Plaiting done by this machine (the only one of the kind in Victoria) constantly on exhibition by the undersigned, who holds from the patentee the sole right for the sale of the machine in British Columbia.

Trimmings made to order in every style.
MRS. HALPENNY,
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FASHIONABLE DRESSMAKER,
GOVERNMENT STREET,
Between Broughton and Rae Streets,
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FIRST-CLASS FITTING.
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TENDERS ARE INVITED BY THE UNdersigned till the 10th of May next for the supply of 250 Cords of Hemlock Bark, to be delivered at Rock Bay Tannery, Victoria, in good order and close piled for measurement.

Tenders may be made for the whole or portions thereof. Further particulars on application.
W. HEATHORN,
Victoria Boot and Shoe Manufacto
ap3 Victoria.

NOTICE.

To Miners, Traders and Cattle Dealers.

I AM PREPARED TO FORWARD PASsengers, Freight and all kinds of Stock from Fort Yale, New Westminster, or any landing on the Fraser River, or from Victoria to Glenora Landing, on the Stickeen or Telegraph Creek.

All kinds of Stock taken under special contract.
ap1 WILLIAM MOORE.

Daily British Colonist.

FRIDAY MORNING, APRIL 20TH, 1877.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

THE NEWS.

We devote all our available space to the delayed dispatches which came by the North Pacific last evening. The wires between this place and Seattle having been "down" for several days—or, at best working badly, our regular dispatches failed to come to hand until too late to be of any service. It will be observed that the news is threatening. We might almost say that war is a foregone conclusion. It is impossible to see how the Czar can recede from his present position without fighting. If he goes forward he will enter on a long, bloody and expensive war that may involve the whole of Europe. If he goes back he will be covered with dishonor in the eyes of his own people who will charge him with cowardice and may insist on his abdication. He would rather fight, we feel assured, than face an indignant nation. Turkey having refused to grant any concessions under pressure Russia cannot retire with honor. In a day or two we may expect stirring intelligence, which we have made ample arrangements to receive daily by telegraph.

Mr. Goldwin Smith Repudiated.

LONDON OFFICE OF THE GLOBE,
55 Cheapside, E. C.,
March 31.

The *Daily Telegraph*, in an editorial, discusses Mr. Goldwin Smith's *Fortnightly Review* manifesto. It says that his judgment is rendered important by the high character of his intellectual attainments. Nevertheless the *Telegraph* sees nothing in the difficulties with which Canada has to contend to warrant the gloomy view and bold, unwelcome words used by Mr. Smith. It disagrees with Mr. Smith's estimate of Canada's commercial importance to England.

The *Telegraph* goes on to say:—"The demand for grain, timber, and petroleum from the Dominion is destined to have an indefinite expansion, while the consignments of live and dead cattle to this country (England) bid fair to transcend all the other exported commodities. Even if Canadian duties should remain stationary, they do not oppose obstacles to Canada's commercial relations with Great Britain so formidable as those caused by the tariff adopted by the United States. On the other hand, should the statesmen of the Dominion ever espouse the principle of Free Trade, towards which they happily evince a manifest leaning, Canada will furnish a more important market for British wares than at any previous period. We are under no apprehensions that either annexation to or union with the United States is near, as the people of the Dominion rank among the most loyal of our colonies, and betray not even the faintest wish for the severance of their connection with the British Crown. They warmly appreciate the prestige and security they enjoy as subjects of Great Britain, and we are convinced that they would be as loath to part with the Mother Country as she would be to lose them."

Canadian Mail.

OTTAWA, April 3.

The Hon. Mr. Cornwall has been the guest of the Governor General and the Countess of Dufferin during the Easter vacation.

The Governor-General was out for a drive to-day, the first time since his recent accident.

The *Free Press* says Hon. Alex. Mackenzie will shortly enter several actions for libel against *The Mail* newspaper.

HALIFAX, N. S., April 9.—Mr. Jones, M. P., was married at St. Paul's Church this morning to Emma, daughter of Edward Albord. They left for Ottawa.

Lieut.-Gov. Archibald has received a medal from the Royal Humane Society for presentation to Willie Francis, Windsor, for saving another boy from drowning in October.

Canadian Parliament.

In the House of Commons April 6th

Mr. Dewdney moved for correspondence between the Local and Dominion Governments during 1876, with reference to the adjustment of Indian Lands in British Columbia. Carried.

On the order for the resumption of the debate on Mr. DeCosmos' motion for despatches sent since 1876 to Her Majesty's principal Secretary of State for the Colonies respecting the Canada Pacific Railway,

The Premier stated that there were no such despatches in the possession of the Government, and the order was discharged.

PECULIARITIES OF ENGLISH STATESMEN. Gossipping about English statesmen, a London correspondent says: Robert Lowe, while Chancellor of the Exchequer, used to snub every deputation that came to his official residence. Mr. Gladstone had a pleasant way with deputations, but Lord Palmerston was the Minister to go and see. He would receive you with the poker in his hand, stirring the official fire, and he would chat about the weather and the crops like a "fine old English gentleman," and send you away so much impressed with his geniality and his power of telling [illegible] story, that you would go off forgetting pretty well what you had been going to say, and what he had said in return. You only felt that, whatever his views might be on the subject nearest to your heart, he was a good fellow, and that you were proud of him. Here, for example, is a story of which Mr. Lincoln might have been the hero: A persistent office-seeker found an appointment that would suit him, and he had political influence. It was necessary, however, that he should learn Spanish. "Come to me when you have got over that obstacle," said Lord Palmerston. Six months hence the officer-seeker returned; when the noble lord had to regret that there was now no opening in the direction in which the office-seeker sought promotion. "And I have been at the trouble of learning Spanish for nothing," said the disappointed applicant. "No," said Lord Palmerston; "on the contrary, I congratulate you on the acquisition which will afford you the delight of reading Don Quixote in the original"

English Mail.

Herr Daniel E. Bandmann writes from the Garrick Club to the "Times: "The Dean of Carlisle, in a terrible 'anathema' curses the stage and actors in general; styles them a lawless, Godless people; heaps bitter reproaches on that kind and true Christian gentlemen the Bishop of Manchester, for defending them, and for seeing 'good in everything,' even in a play actor! To attempt a defence against such intolerance would be to me a waste of time, coming, as I do, of a nation where the stage is a State institution and regarded as equally necessary to the people with the Church; where they play twice on a Sunday to give the working classes an opportunity of receiving instruction and enjoyment from the works of Shakspeare, Schiller, Goethe, Byron, Calderon, Lessing, &c. Leaving all moral observations out of the question, I only wish to place two practical facts before the worthy Dean, which I am in a position to state on the authority of the highest official in Scotland. When the Theatre Royal in Edinburgh was burned down the cases of inebriety in that district rose to 50 per cent. above the average, and from the moment of its re-opening drunkeness sank again to its normal state. In a small town in Scotland a clergyman informed me that he is always grateful when a company of actors pay a visit to his town, because the streets are kept clear from idlers and the publicans complain of bad trade."

According to a London corespondent, the original of Gwendolyn, the heroine of George Elliott's "Daniel Deronda," is a lady now living in London, who some years ago was possessed of nearly a million dollars. She went to the continent and became "an infatuated gambler," losing nearly all her money, and parting with her necklace, as the book states. During her infatuation she was narrowly watched by George Elliott, and also by a wealthy gentleman living to-day in Manchester. So interested did he become in "Gwendolyn" that, as the book stated, he offered to make good her losses if she would cease to play, but was refused. Gwendolyn is now 25 years old, unmarried, grand daughter of one of England's greatest poets, but lives on an income of about a thousand dollars a year, all that was saved from the wreck.

The late Mr. Nathaniel Greenhaigh, cotton spinner, Thornidykes, Sharples, near Bolton, has, it is said, bequeathed £40,000 for the erection and endowment of two churches, one at or near Astley Bridge, and the other in the neighborhood of Pike's Lane, in Bolton.

About five weeks ago there was washed ashore on the coast of one of the Orkney Islands a bottle containing an appeal from some starving castaways who had been wrecked on the St. Kilde, the most inaccessible of the Hebridean islets. Mr. Sands, a Scottish artist, had landed on that lonely rock in a small boat, and on January 17 an Austrian vessel was wrecked off the cliffs and nine survivors were washed ashore. The Islanders had scarcely provisions enough for themselves, but they generously shared what they had with the ten castaways. Starvation stared them all in the face. Mr. Sands wrote the message containing this information, and, lashing the bottle to a life-buoy and rigging a small sail, cast it adrift. The little craft drifted to the Orkneys, and was picked up by the islanders. The gunboat Jackal was despatched to the island with a store of provisions, and arrived not a day too soon, for the islanders and their guests were starving. The artist and sailors were landed at Greenock about March 1, after a dangerous voyage. The London "Telegraph" states that St. Klida belongs to the Macleod of Macleod, whose family has owned it for over two centuries. Over the estates he reigns with a despotism as unquestioned as that of the Czar. The whole trade of the poor people is this factor's monopoly, for until Mr. Sands brought a boat for them a few months ago they were unable to undertake a passage to Lewis, and sell their produce for themselves. They attribute to this neglect to send them supplies this season, when their corn crop was a failure, the straitened state of their resources when the Austrian castaways were thrown on their charity.

Berlin correspondent sends us the following account of a discovery which would seem to have been anticipated in a remarkable story, by M. About:—"About a fortnight ago a telegram was received at Berlin from Heidelberg containing the news of a scientific discovery almost too wonderful to be believed. Subsequent experiments, however, appear to have fully confirmed the news. Professor Kunnel, at Heidelberg University, has proved that the last object seen by a slaughtered animal remains imprinted, and is perfectly visible for a short time after death, upon the retina of the victim's eye. More than this, the learned Professor has succeeded in preserving the imprinted picture very much in the way in which photographed portraits are fixed by the maker of ordinary cartes. The animals experimented upon were cows and rabbitts."

Mr. Chamberlain's proposal to adopt the Gothenburg system of managing licensed public houses in this country has met with an ignominious defeat, which would have been more marked only that the division was taken when many of the members were at dinner. Mr. Chamberlain moved, "That it is desirable to empower the Town councils of boroughs under the Municipal Corporations Act to acquire compulsorily, on payment of fair compensation the existing interests in the retail sale of intoxicating drinks within their respective districts; and thereafter, if they see fit to carry on the trade for the convenience of the inhabitants, but so that no individual shall have any interest in or derive any profit from the sale."

After some discussion the motion was rejected by 103 votes to 51.

The Birmingham "Gazette" says:—It is clear that the House of Commons, as a whole, completely pooh-poohs the notion of Mr. Chamberlain, and in that respect the Lower House fully represents the general sentiment of the country.

The death is announced of Mr Walter Bagehot, editor of the London "Economist" and author of many works upon political economy, the best known of which is probably "Lombard-Street," a description of the English money market. Among the political economists now living there is scarcely one fitted to fill the gap created by the death of Mr. Bagehot.

The London "Saturday Review," speaking of recent accidents to British men-of-war says:—"All that need be said is that within six months eight ships have broken down—the Hydra, armour-plated turret ship, Shah, iron frigate cased with wood; Thunderer, armour-plated iron turret ship; Alexandra, armour plated iron turret ship; Boadicea, wood-cased iron corvette; Invincible, double iron ship, armour-plated; Danae, steam corvette; and Shannon, armour-plated ship. For a long time there has been hardly a week passed without one or more accidents of this kind, and the "Times" the other day published a catalogue of eleven in a single week. In a short time, nothing can, to all appearances, be more loose and rickety than the construction of the vessels of the British navy."

A London correspondent writes:—"More than once it has been asserted that Sir Arthur Guiness, the member for Dublin, and son of the restorer of St. Patrick's cathedral, might have a peerage if he cared to ask for it. A short time before the meeting of Parliament the subject was again mentioned to him by the Premier, and Sir Arthur is then reported to have replied by four lines which are, we hope, not to be taken as suggestive of the flatness of his renowned stout:—

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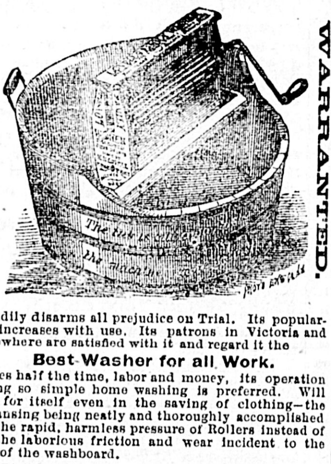

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General Abstract

SHOWING the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of British Columbia, within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements, for the Quarter ending 31st March, 1877.

Liabilities.			Assets.	
Notes in Circulation		$216,938 00	Legal tender coin in Gold and Silver	$204,223 82
Balances due to other Banks and Branches		26,533 15	Gold Bullion	6,995 19
Deposits not bearing interest	$808,711 44		Landed and other Property	27,792
Deposits bearing interest	56,827 55	865,538 99	Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate within the Province	29,209 86
			Balances due from other Banks & Branches situate without the Province	146,762 14
			All debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks and Branches	1,039,751 66
Total amount of Liabilities		$1,109,010 14	Total amount of Assets	$1,454,784 67

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of Quarter ending 31st Mar., 1877 ....$1,730,000 00
Rate of last Dividend declared to the Shareholders ....7 ₩ cent. ₩ annum
Amount of last Dividend declared ....$ 60,550 00
Amount of Reserved profit at the time of declaring such Dividend ....$ 180,675 00

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
CHAS. S. JONES, Accountant.

VICTORIA, B.C., 14th April, 1877.

I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within this Province of this Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."

(Signed) WM. C. WARD.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 14th day of April, 1877.
ap15 (Signed) A. McLEAN, J. P

General Abstract,

SHOWING the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets, within the Province of British Columbia, of the Bank of British North America, taken from the usual Weekly Statements during the Quarter ending 31st Mar., 1877:

Liabilities.		Assets.	
Notes in circulation not bearing interest	$108,305 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$ 75,097 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	15,786 30	Gold Bullion	12,153 00
Deposits on call not bearing int.	95,457 75	Notes and Cheques of other Banks	2,536 10
Deposits not on call bearing interest	460,795 13	Landed and other Property	18,000 00
		Balances due from other Banks & Branches	416,205 29
		Am't of all other Debts due to the Bank	194,830 97
Total amount of Liabilities	$680,344 18	Total amount of Assets	$718,822 36

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 31st March, 1877 ....$5,000,000
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders .... 6 per cent per annum
Amount of the last Dividend declared for half year $150,000
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring said Dividend $1,158,180

[Signed] J. GOODFELLOW, Manager.
VICTORIA, B.C., 31st Mar., 1877. ANDREW B. RITCHIE, Act'g Accountant.

I, JOHN GOODFELLOW, do hereby declare, that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets within this Province of the above Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."

[Signed] J. GOODFELLOW, Manager.

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Daily British Colonist.

FRIDAY MORNING, APRIL 20TH, 1877.

Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

April 19—str North Pacific, Pt Townsend

CLEARED.

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str Cariboo-Fly, Nanaimo
str Etta White, Burrard Inlet
str Gertrude, Ft Wrangel
str North Pacific, Pt Townsend
str Grappler, Ft Wrangel

CONSIGNEES.

Per str North Pacific, fm Pugtt Sound—TB,WR&Co, Capt Epring, L M Star, DE, RO, Levy, AB&Co.

City Police Court.

(Before Judge Courtney.)

THURSDAY, April 19th.

She-na-malt, a Sooke Indian, charged with being drunk and disorderly; fined $1 25 or 6 hours.

Wm. Sherboy, charged with being drunk and disorderly, fined $1 25 and $2 fee for the special constable.

The following Chinamen were charged with having neglected to abate a nuisance on their several premises after having 50 days notice thereof:

Chang Kee, fined $10 and $3 costs; Wo Chung, fined $2 and $3 costs; Dr. Ma Chu Sing Win, fined $2 and $3 costs; Tai Chung Yung was remanded for one week.

ROAD TAX.—With a view to give greatter facility for collection of this tax the City Council have recently passed a new By-law the provisions of which enact that in default of payment, if no goods or chattels can be found to be levied upon, the defaulter is liable to seven days' imprisonment. It is this clause that constitutes the main difference between the new by-law and the old one, inasmuch as in the old by-law there was no penal clause, and in the event of no effects being found the defaulter went scot free. Nothing can be fairer than this small amount demanded in aid of keeping the streets and footpaths in repair and lighting the city with gas. Without such tax imposed a large number of our citizens would enjoy all the benefits resulting without contributing one farthing. Amongst others the Chinese will be called upon to pay this tax, and with a view to their being informed of the nature of the demand made upon them, a clause of the act has been done into the hieroglyphic characters of their own language, which all of them to whom it has been submitted can read.

AS GOOD AS HIS WORD. — On Wednesday, as Capting Gannon, late of H. M. 27th Foot, shook the dust of the prison from his shoes after an imprisonment of two weeks for vagrancy, he remarked confidentially to the gaoler: "I'm laving you now in disgrace, and I'll not return till I can come in me carriage." Yesterday morning the martial and really magnificent form of the gallant Capting was trundled in a handcart to the gaol-yard by the police. He had been found lying dead—dead drunk on the public streets. The spectacle of the military turnout that did not take place at the prorogation reminded him so forcibly of his gallant exploits in the Crimea and at Delhi that he pledged the event in the flowing bowl. The gaoler thinks his military boarder a man of his word.

THE COLUMBIA FISHERIES.—Two hundred and eighty fishermen on the Columbia River have struck for higher rates. They demand 50 cents for every salmon supplied the canneries, while the latter refuse to pay more than 37½ cents. The *Oregonian* says the strikers seem at present to have everything in their own hands. Should any other persons offer to engage in fishing the strikers would probably break up their boats and cut their nets. At present the fish are beginning to run in large numbers, and the delay occasioned by the strikers is exceedingly unfortunate. Unless the difficulty is amicably settled soon it will have a very damaging effect and materially lessen the aggregate catch for the season.

FISHING RODS AND TACKLES.—The latest specimens in these items of the sportsman's outfit have just been received by Henry Short, gunmaker, Fort street. The glass eyed spoon and silver minnow for trout fishing, with a very large assortment of flies tied, especially for the lakes and rivers of Vancouver Island, British Columbia, and Washington Territory, can be seen at his store. *

WAGON ROAD.—Travelers along the wagon-road report that it is now in better condition than at any time since 1865. Large parties are employed in replacing the worn out with sound cribbing and strengthening the bridges. The excellent management of the Lands & Works is everywhere extolled throughout the interior.

THE LOSS OF THE "BLACK EAGLE."—We find the following notice of the loss of this ship in the Portland *Oregonian*: "The bark Paloma from Tahiti brings news of the total loss of the Nicaraguan ship Black Eagle from Puget Sound for Callao, with lumber, on Easter Island. Capt. Hughes and crew were rescued and taken to Tahiti."

MORE COFFINS.—The steamships Henry Chauncey, Arizona and Montana have been sold by the Pacific Mail Steamship Co., the first for $19,000 and the others $15,000. They were built in 1865. They cost a large sum only four years ago, and were estimated to be worth $140,000. Goodall, Nelson and Perkins are the purchasers.

SALE OF ANIMALS.—The sale of pack animals belonging to the Dominion Government came off at Kamloops on the 12th inst. One hundred and sixty head were disposed of at rates ranging from $2 to $45. Eight "plugs" brought the former figure.

DR. J. CALDER, Dentist, has returned from a professional tour on the Mainland and Nanaimo, and can be found at his permanent office, Spencer's Photographic Gallery, righthand side, upstairs. ∴

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.—Wheat, oats and barley are advancing. No good wheat can be bought at less than $2.40; and best would bring $2.50; barley is $1.70 @ $1.75; oats, $2 @ $2.30.

MINISTERIAL DINNER.—The members of the Local Ministry entertained a number of the members of the House at dinner at the Richmond on Wednesday evening.

The English Opera.

The English Opera Company are gaining in popularity—if such a thing were possible. The attendance at Theatre Royal increases nightly and nothing can exceed the enthusiam of the audiences at the brilliant execution of the pieces. "Martha" was presented last night before the largest house of the season. It is impossible to convey even a faint idea of the magnificent character of the entertainment. Miss Winston appeared as Lady Harriet, her fine voice and excellent acting admirably adapting her to the part. She sang the "Last Rose of Summer" with all the pathos and feeling possible to be infused into the song, and when the sweet notes died away the audience rapturously demanded an encore. Mr. Tilla took the character of Lionel. He was very happy in all his solos, and in the chorouses his clear, ringing tenor was one of the principal features. Mr. Farley appeared as Plunket. His splendid bass voice was in excellent order and the sonorous notes were highly appreciated. Mr. Bell created much amusement in the dual *role* of Sir Tristam and the Mayor, and imparted a grotesqueness to the most serious parts of the pastoral creation of Flotow. Miss Rose Chappelle sang a very pretty solo in good voice. She was a little timid; but gives promise of a great future .... This evening "The Daughter of the Regiment" will be presented for the first time in Victoria. Seats should be secured at Redfern's.

OFF FOR CASSIAR.—The steamers Grappler and Gertrude sailed for Cassiar yesterday with large freights and their decks black with passengers. The rush to Cassiar may now be said to have fairly commenced. There is no reason to doubt that the ice has all left Stickeen River. Captain Moore anticipates no trouble reaching the head of navigation and depositing his precious freight of human lives at Glenora Landing. Considerable enthusiasm was manifested by those leaving. Many were old hands at the diggings. Others had never been there, but seemed confident that the season now opening at Cassiar will yield a golden harvest for all who are willing to work for it. The new strike of hill diggings in the Deloire country has added to the interest felt in Cassiar.

CACHE CREEK BOARDING SCHOOL.—We learn that the boarding principle in this abominable institution will be discontinued, and that the school will be converted into a day-school should the children in attendance be sufficient to comply with the law. If not, the school will be closed and about $2500 a year saved.

EARNINGS OF THE CENTRAL PACIFIC RAILROAD.—The increase in earnings for March of the Central Pacific Railroad over the corresponding month of 1876 was $57,358; increase for the three months of the present year over the earnings for the same time the previous year, $121,775.

EIGHTEEN HUNDRED BOATS have been built for the Columbia river fisheries this season. The greater number have been put together at San Francisco and shipped on sail vessels to the various canneries.

PAPER FOR CASSIAR.—A young Canadian printer left on the Grappler with the intention of starting a newspaper at Deasetown, Cassiar, should things look prosperous there.

THE steamer North Pacific arrived at 2:30 p.m. yesterday with the mails, about 50 passengers, and 9 head of cattle for Messrs. Goodacre & Dooley.

THE summer population of Cassiar is estimated at about 1100. Upwards of 500 miners wintered in the Cassiar District and at Wrangel and Sitka.

THE revenue cutter O. Wolcott has sailed for Alaska to enter upon her duties as a guardship after the withdrawal of the troops.

JAILED.—J. Al. Sawtelle has been jailed at Portland, Oregon, for nonpayment of a board bill.

Religious Tolerance.

EDITOR COLONIST:—Last Sunday evening the Rev. R Tomlinson, to help an old friend, whom he saw much overburdened with work, preached in the R. E. Church.

On Wednesday, that noble Christian apostle known as the "Lord Bishop of B. C.," informed him that his license to preach as a clergyman of the so-called "Church of England" in this province was revoked.

This is a fine instance of the spirit of Christian liberality which pervades that distinguished prelate.

I shall have more to say on this subject on a future occasion.

A PROTESTANT.

Letter from Telegraph Creek.

STICKEEN RIVER, March 4th.

EDITOR COLONIST:—There is little news of importance from this locality. Nearly all the miners who wintered here have gone into the diggings. Those wintering in the mines have been able to work to advantage owing to there being no ice in the ground. At the middle of February the snow was on an average nine feet here and at Glenora Landing, but soon lessened to about five feet. The thermometer never exceeded 21 deg. below zero. Some of the animals wintering here are having a rather rough time of it, as the owners were unprepared with feed. Other packers who were prepared are going to come out all right. Provisions are very scarce both here and at Glenora Landing; but are plentiful in the mines. The Hudson Bay Co. have got a large quantity at the Lower Post, which their steamers could not get through last fall owing to low water.

Some Indians have come from the coast and started a revival meeting at the Landing. I hope they will extend their labors as far up as this, as several of our white inhabitants would be none the worse of a little conversion. It is said that a number of white devils are determined to mar their progress, which I hope is not the case. The revivalists have the honor of being the first to hold religious services of any kind publicly in this district.

Mr. McKay (H. B. Co.) has discovered a quartz mine close to the Hudson Bay store at Glenora which prospects well. The most experienced miners say that it will be a big thing—being rich with gold, silver and copper.

Lowhee White and a number of other old miners have left here for the head waters of the Stickeen, piloted by Dirty Dick, who has got $5 diggings on a bar. The health of all the camps here is good and no yellow flags flying.

Property is changing hands rapidly at Glenora in anticipation of the town at Telegraph Creek moving down, which is looked for this spring. Mr. Shakes is building a large livery stable and Mr. Moss a billiard saloon. A petition is in circulation asking Mr. Lovell, J. P., to move his buildings back to improve the looks of the street. In conclusion I would say that our popular friend, Mr. Hockins, is doing a rushing trade. COR.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

EUROPE.

LONDON, April 16.—The *Daily News'* St. Petersburg correspondent says the war feeling is intense. There never was such a popular war as this will be. There is no brag and bluster, but a quiet resolution is depicted on every man's face and is manifest in everybody's language.

WASHINGTON, April 16.—A telegram received at the navy department yesterday from Lieut. Henry Corringe, commanding U. S. steamer Gettysburg, at Constantinople, refers briefly to the condition of affairs there, and states that war is imminent, and announces that the Russian embassy was to leave Constantinople today.

LONDON, April 16.—In the House of Lords, Earl Granville criticized the Government's policy touching the Eastern question. He said the protocol was nearly the same as the Berlin memorandum. Why did not the government accept that united action in Europe which then might have prevented war? Neither Russia nor Turkey had then taken an irretraceable position. He attacked the ministry, whose boasts about raising England's position abroad now subject them to ridicule, and advocated European concert for the better government of Turkey.

Lord Derby vindicated the protocol. He believed the House would agree that under existing circumstances it was best not to do anything concerning the future.

LONDON, April 16.—A dispatch from Vienna says it is reported that the Porte shows an inclination to offer voluntarily to cede to Austria certain districts in Herzegovina which will increase the strategical importance of Dalmatia and Buda.

The Posth *Correspondence* says the reports of the impending mobilization of the Austro-Hungarian army are untrue.

LONDON, April 15.—A St. Petersburg special states Ignatieff will accompany the Czar to Kichineff.

VIENNA, April 17.—A large concentration of Turkish troops in Widdin has caused considerable commotion in Roumania.

A dispatch from Pesth says it is expected war will be declared April 21st.

A *Times'* dispatch from Vienna says: According to Political Correspondence the four corps in Bessarabia have orders to begin a movement to the Pruth April 18th, while two corps are marching to take their place in Bessarabia.

A correspondent of the *Trendenblatt* confirms the report that the right wing, which in the weakest portion, crosses the Deucester at Choleyna and goes along the Austrian frontier to Paskang. The left wing, the strongest, will cross the Danube between Remi and Ismail.

A Paris correspondent to the *Times* says: It is a mistake to think the Turks would greet the Austrians as allies and allow them to penetrate into Bosnia without striking a blow. Such resistance would be an ephemeral struggle, but would necessitate a declaration of war by Austria. The entry of Austria on the scene would be looked upon as a signal for a wide conflagration.

BUCHAREST, April 17.—The movement of the Russian army from Kicheneff toward Ulgenhi has made considerable progress. The troops at the points of concentration near the Roumanian frontier, are being continually reinforced, and troops from the interior are filling the positions vacated by those going to the front.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 17.—It has been decided that the Turkish cabinet shall meet daily to deliberate on the situation. It is reported that on the outbreak of war Russian subjects will be expelled from Turkey.

LONDON, April 17.—All troops will be held in garrison this afternoon in readiness to turn out if required in view of the threatened march of a body of Tichbornites to the House of Commons to present a petition for the release of Arthur Orton. It is stated there are a hundred thousand of the petitioners.

BERLIN, April 17.—It is semi-officially stated that the order to German recruits residing abroad to rejoin their regiments is only the usual summons issued every year, and is not connected with political affairs.

PARIS, April 17.—Several journals say the rumors about alleged unsatisfactory relations between France and Germany since the Papal allocution against the Italian government is wholly groundless. Relations between the two governments remain as before the Eastern crisis, entirely pacific.

Extensive floods prevail between Unghenni and Jassy. The Pruth is much swollen, and the railway from Unghenni to Kichineff, on which the army depends, is in a very insecure state. Engineers apprehend great difficulty in keeping up service during the passage of the troops.

Duke de Casas informed the French cabinet council to-day he had received from Berlin and London the formal assurances of the peaceful and conciliatory disposition of Germany towards the French.

President MacMahon has instructed M. Martel, minister of justice and public worship, to express to the Bishop of Nevers his entire disapproval of the latter's asking intervention for peace. They state that the President sees with pain the clergy meddling with the internal and foreign policy of the government.

LONDON, April 15.—Lord Derby has sent the following dispatch, dated April 12th, to the British charge d'affairs at Constantinople:

Sir: The Turkish ambassador called today and left a copy of a circular on the subject of the protocol. I expressed my deep regret to Musurus Pasha at the view the Porte has taken. I thought unnecessary any further discussion of the step which has been adopted by the Porte. After full consideration it could not be retraced. I said, however, it did not seem clear whether the Porte would send an ambassador to St. Petersburg or not to treat on the question of mutual disarmament. Musurus Pasha stated that Turkey was not prepared to adopt any such measure, and expressed opinions that matters could not be settled satisfactorily unless the powers should consent to annul the protocol. I replied that the divergence between the views of the two governments appeared so wide as to render further discussion useless, and I said I could not see what further steps England could take to avert a war which appeared inevitable. Musurus Pasha answered that the attitude of his government was simply defensive; that they did not desire war, but they would prefer it to a sacrifice of national independence, which appeared to be involved in the acceptance of the protocol.

The Berlin correspondent of the *Standard* telegraphs: I hear from Vienna that negotiations are pending between the powers on one side and Russia on the other, by which the immediate outbreak of war seems likely to be prevented.

A correspondent of the *Daily Telegraph* says he has inspected the Ottoman fleet in the Bosphorus and finds the condition of the Sultan's navy splendid. The vessels are fully manned and the discipline is as good as possible. Admiral Habert Pasha has been fomally appointed commander of the the Black Sea squadron, which comprises 15 ironclads. The forts on the Bosphorus are also ready. Reports from the armies are satisfactory. Mehamat Pasha, first aide-de-camp of the Sultan, has left the capital to inspect the troops and munitions of war in Anatolia and superintend the final arrangements along the Asiatic frontier.

German contractors who supplied the corps at Belfort and Strasbourg have arrived at St. Petersburg, where they are making large contracts. Fifty railway engines, fitted for gauges of Roumanian lines, have been supplied by Berlin factories. One-third of the army at Kischeniff will not cross the Pruth, but will move towards Sulini to cross over into Dobuidscha. Two Turkish monitors are at Sulini.

The Athens correspondent of the *Daily News* states that the Greek government has given orders that an army of 60,000 men be in readiness for active service in ease of need. The feeling in Athens is of intense anxiety.

LONDON, April 15.—The *Standard's* special from Vienna says the Russian ambassador had an audience with the Emperor of Austria to-day, and afterwards an interview with Count Andrassay, to whom he communicated the telegraphic circular from Prince Gortschakoff.

Yesterday's panic in financial circles was followed by a trifling recovery tonight in consequence of private messages from Paris and London stating that diplomatic attempts are likely to be made to pave the way for giving satisfaction to Russia's susceptibilities by amending the treaty of Paris. The greatest readiness is discernable on the part of the Austrian government to support any last attempt to procure peace which may be made by England.

EASTERN STATES.

PHILADELPHIA, April 16.—Quite an excitement was created on Chesnut street street to-day by the attempted whipping of Col. A.K. McClure of the Philadelphia *Times*, by Nat. McKay, Government contractor. McClure was in company of ex-Gov. Curtin when McKay approached with a dog-whip and struck him. Then McClure caught McKay by the throat, and while holding him some one from behind dealt McClure a blow, while another in front of him struck him over the left eye. These men are supposed to be friends of McKay. One of them got away and the other was arrested with McKay. The prisoners were given a hearing at central station and were held to bail to answer.

SAVANNAH, April 15.—Capt. Laniels, of the steamer Leo, makes the following statement: About 2 a.m. of the 13th, we slowed down hard up, with head on to wind and hove to, the gale increasing very fast. About half-past 3 we opened the hatches to examine the cargo and discovered fire below; got hose and water on the fire, but it increased so rapidly that we had to close the hatches, after two men had been badly burned. Finding it impossible to put the fire out and save the ship, got two lifeboats and the raft over, the fire gaining so we could get no more boats over, and those who were forward were cut off from those who were aft. When the first boat was launched I went aft to the cabin to get the passengers into it. When I opened the cabin door I was beat back by the flames and could not get in; met the first engineer and Mr. Poppendeck; told the first engineer, McDonald, to get into that boat and save all you can. He went over the side into the boat with Mr. Poppendeck after him. I then left and went forward to get the raft off. It was impossible to reach the lady passengers, the flames having taken possession of the cabin. There was no intimation of fire until the hatches were opened, and cannot account for its origin; about 8 in the boat that got away clear of the ship. Mr. Poppendeck was in the boat; saw nothing of them afterwards. I looked around and saw no one forward. I then went on the raft myself. The stewardess and two men were aft hanging on the rail. The stewardess called out to me to save her. I told her to jump. She came down half way, but the raft drifted off, and she not letting go, was lost with the two men who were on the deck.

BENNINGTON, VT., April 16.—Dr. R. H. Green, of Hoosack, New York, was thought dead, and his body placed in a vault about two weeks ago. As he had narrowly escaped burial while in a trance several years since, his wife was requested to visit his body until no doubt of death existed. It is now stated that last Saturday signs of life were noticed. The body was removed from the vault, and attending physicians pronounce it a case of suspended animation.

NEW YORK, April 16.—The *Tribune* says the recent mails brought instructions from Australia and Cape Colony to houses in England to make up consignments of hardware from American and not from British products. Merchants in those distant countries are captivated with the beauty and low prices of American hardware goods.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 17.—The race to day at Bay District Park between Occident and Oakland Maid, to waggon, three in five; purse, $2,000; good day and track. Before the race the Maid was favorite, $100 to $65. Occident drew the pole. First heat won by Occident in 2:25. Occident was now favorite—$100 to $60. Occident won the second heat in 2.27½. In the third heat Occident broke on the home stretch and the Maid won in 2.27¼. Fourth heat and race was won by Occident; time, 2.29. The race was well contested throughout.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 17.—The compromise between Isaac Friedlander and his creditors remains still unsettled owing to the difficulty experienced in arbitration of the account with Dresbach & Co., of Davisville. It is probable if no conclusion is reached to-day in the settlement of that account, that it will be referred to a general meeting of the creditors for their decision.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14.—One hundred and ten deaths occurred in the city during the past week. Twenty-one were from diptheria—a slight falling off from last week. Smallpox is gradually declining. Only 14 new cases were reported last week and four deaths. Diptheria, the health officer says, remains about stationary, but he expects soon to see the good effects of sewer-cleaning now in progress.

The suits against the *News Letter* have been dismissed upon the defendants humbly apologizing.

WASHINGTON PETRIFIED.

An Extraordinary Discovery at Mount Vernon.

[Washington (Feb. 16th) Correspondence of the Sa Francisco Chronicle.]

We visited Washington tomb to-day at Mount Vernon, Va., some twelve miles from this city, down the Potomac, and we had the unusual privilege of beholding the mortal remains of the immortal Washington. Visitors to the tomb will remember that the west wall of the same has for several years been in a falling condition and in great need of repair. A few days since part of it tumbled into the tomb, completely covering the sarcophagus of Washington, and also that of Martha Washington. In order to repair the damage in a competent manner, it was found necessary to remove them a few feet from their resting place. The one containing the remains of Martha Washington was removed first, but the unusual weight of one containing the remains of Washington aroused the curiosity of the official who was superintending the work of removal, and it was decided to open that sarcophagus in order to ascertain the cause. This was done, and the remains were found to be petrified, in fact, a solid stone resembling a statue, the features perfectly natural, with the exception of eyes and ears, no trace of which can be seen. The body is of a dark leathery color, and may be said to be a soft sandstone, which would likely break should an attempt be made to remove it from the sarcophagus. Edward Baker, an aged colored man, who had resided upon the farm since he was a boy, and who assisted in removing the remains from the old tomb to the present one, informs us that it is thirty-eight years since their last removal. At that time they had rested in the old tomb thirty-eight years, and were exhumed in a state of preservation beyond all expectation, being a solid compact mass, with the skin drawn tightly to the bones, petrification no doubt having commenced its work. The repairs to the tomb will be completed to-day, and the sarcophagus is not likely to be opened again for a century to come, unless, indeed, in the case of an architect, as in thé present instance, and the remains of the immortal Washington will then be as enduring as his memory is dear.

ANOTHER MARVELLOUS MOTOR!

The Kelly Motor.

A correspondent of the Buffalo *Commercial* writes of a wonderful motor invented by Mr. Kelly, of Washington (no connection with Keely, of Philadelphia). It is stated that "rapid progress is being made with the Kelly motor, and in the course of ten days it will be placed in operation on the street railways of Washington City. A stock company has already been formed and the machine is under construction at Baltimore. What its performance will be may readily be inferred from what has been accomplished by its little representative (the model) which is but a toy, in fact, and was constructed merely to exhibit the operation and motion, but which has astonished Mr. Kelly himself by the speed and great power it develops. Having a weight of only 12¾ pounds, being 12 inches long, 12 inches high, 6 inches wide, with two levers 9 inches in length, operating by means of movable or living plorums, with two weights of only 2¼ pounds each, upon two circular and reciprocal revolving and inclined planes of, respectively, three and four inches in diameter, it easily ascended a grade of thirteen hundred feet to the mile, carrying sixty pounds weight of large books, piled on so high and wide as to almost obscure itself from view. Subsequently it drew across the level floor a small wagon weighing ten pounds, having on it a man weighing 168 pounds, carrying 42 pounds of books in his arms. To effect, as will the large machine, with the aid of only such a small engine as grocers use for grinding coffee, at an expense no exceeding twenty five cents a day, what otherwise cannot be done except by a ponderous thirty-horse locomotive, weighing ten tons or more, consuming half a ton of fuel daily, and costing between $2,500 and $3,000, will be the first great achievement of our second century, and when ready for the road, the outlay for its building will not exceed $700, or its weight be more than two or three tons. Then, as before intimated, its almost entire disregard for the question of grades will so cheapen the construction of railroads, as to place them within the means of nearly every locality.

DR. JAMES

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A Curious Exract from one of the Earliest Histories of Upper Canada.

FRIDAY, Feb. 6th, 1808.

"Mr. Willcoks, member for the first Riding of the County of Lincoln, the West Riding of the County of York, and the County Haldimand, was on Saturday last tried before the Commons House of Assembly for having made use of (in the house of Mr. Glennan, of York) some disrespectful language of the members, found guilty, and immediately committed to the common gaol of the Home District, there to remain during the sitting of Parliament.

"We are informed by gentlemen who visited Mr. Willcoks after his committal that he was closely confined in one of the cells, where every office of nature is obliged to be performed, there being no convenience of any kind. . . . . All casual accounts perfectly agree that Mr. Willcoks is most cruelly and unjustly treated. . . It has been stated, but we will not say by incontrovertible authority, that no prosecution would have commenced were there not some favorite Bills to be passed in the House, to which Mr. Willcoks was warmly opposed. He had also given notice that he would on Thursday bring in a bill to repeal the ever-to-be-detested School Act,* but, strange to tell, the day after he obtained leave to bring in the Bill he was sent to a dungeon in the gaol. Upon this extraordinary circumstance we shall for the present make no comments, but pass it over in silence."—Upper Canada Guardian.

*This alludes to the District School Act, which was always looked upon by the people as a mere excuse for increasing the patronage of the Lieut.-Governor. Mr. Crooks gives a just account of these schools in page 433, vol. I,—"Gourley's Canada."

The Mr. Willcoks alluded to in the foregoing was, we believe, a connection of the Baldwin family, and Mr. Crooks father or relative of the present Minister of Public Instruction.

Card to Dr. Price.

This is to certify that Dr. Price has cured me of a badly ulcerated sore mouth and throat. His treatment is simple but effective. I would recommend him to all who in the time of need desire a good physician.—CHRISTOPHER STOREY, Steamer Otter. •

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HAVE RECEIVED FROM HAVANA DIrect and keep constantly in Stock, a large assortment of

CHOICE BRANDS OF CIGARS.

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JAMES SYME,

ARCHITECT,

MASONIC BUILDING, GOVERNMENT ST.,
fe3 1m VICTORIA, B. C.

Notices.

NOTICE to CLAIMANTS of LAND.

LILLOOET DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that the following lands situate in the District of Lillooet, have been subdivided by survey, and a map thereof has been deposited in the office of M. O'Connor, Esq., Clinton:—

Township No. 8.

	Section.
S. E. Fractional Quarter..........	1
N. E. "	1
N.W. "	1
N. E. "	2
S. E. "	11
N. E. "	11
S. W. Quarter..........	12
S. E. Quarter..........	12
W. Half of N.W. Quarter..........	12
W. 28 chains of E. Half..........	14
S.W. Fractional Quarter..........	14
N.W. "	14
N. E. "	15
W.W. "	22
N. E. "	22
S. E. "	22
W. Fraction 24 chains W. Half....	23
W. 14 chains of E. Half..........	27
N. W. Quarter..........	27
S.W. Fractional Quarter..........	27
N, E. "	28
S. E. "	28
N. E. "	33
S. E. "	33
N.W. "	33
S. W. "	33

And that claimants of any portion of this land who have not obtained Crown Grants thereof should prove up their claims in accordance with Clause 21 "Land Act, 1875."

Forms of proof and declaration can be obtained at the Office of the Land Commissioner, Clinton.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 17th Feb., 1877. fe18

"PSYCHOMANCY, or Soul-Charming." How either sex may fascinate and gain the love and affections of any person they choose, instantly. This simple mental acquirement all can possess, free, by mail, for 25 cents; together with a Marriage Guide, Egyptian Oracle, Dreams, Hints to Ladies. A queer book, 100,000 sold. Address T. WILLIAM & CO., Publishers, Phila. fe20w

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Money Due the following Persons from the U. S.

I WILL THANK ANY PERSON FORFURnishing their addresses and will pay postag e, &c If either person is dead, then the address of their Administrators, Attorneys or Agents is requested.

The names are:— S. Allen, Chas. Allison, Ruben Bloat, Henry Bischel, Michael Copenham, Wm. M. Cline, Wm. Clemens, Jeremiah Dillen, Theodore Day, P. N. Emmerson, Simon Farlow, Christian Farlow, John Forman, H. C. Gittiers, A. A. Hayes, Jas. Hamill, Wm. Hite, Henry Hiutmann, Geo. Holmes, Wm. King Lear, A. G. Lloyd, L. L. Leureany, David Murray, Saml. J. Oakley, J. B. Post, Geo. Price, Thomas Purcholl, Jno. Price, Wm. Parsons, Geo. W. Philips, D. B. Rogers, Geo. Rogers, Wm. P. Sweeney, George Turner, Jno. W. Thornbury, L. Williams, Henry Willoughby, Moses Weil, Wm. Warner.

For particulars apply to C. M. CARTER, Portland, Oregon, who collects every variety of claim on the Government, including all lost vouchers or suspended demands, etc. fe16dw1m.

Notice.

IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Real Estate, Personal Property and School Tax, 1876, for the Electoral District of Victoria, is now over due, and all persons or their agents liable for the said Taxes are requested to pay the same forthwith at the Assessor's Office, Government street, Victoria.

R. F. JOHN, Collector.
Victoria, Feb. 20, 1877. fe21

VICTORIA, B.C., 1st February, 1877.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 5 OF the "Medical Ordinance, 1867," the Register of Medical Practitioners, registered under that Ordinance, is herewith published for general information.

T. ELWYN, Deputy Registrar.

Register of Medical Practitioners.

HELMCKEN, JOHN SEBASTIAN, Victoria.
Application received 24th December, 1869.
Diplomas registered 24th December, 1869:—
A Diplom from the Royal College of Surgeons, England, dated 17th March, 1848.
A Diploma from the Court of Examiners, Apothecaries' Hall, London, dated 29 April, 1847.

DAVIE, JOHN C., Victoria.
Application received 8th March, 1870.
Diploma registered 8th March, 1870:—
A Diploma from the College of Medicine, San Francisco, dated 7th March, 1865.

CHIPP, JOHN, Barkerville, Cariboo.
Application received 10th August, 1872.
Diplomas registered 13th August, 1872:—
A Diploma from the Royal College of Surgeons, England, dated 15th May, 1857.
A Diploma from the Master Wardens and Assistants of the Society of the Art and Mystery of Apothecaries, of the City of London, England, dated 5th November 1857.

TREW, CHARLES NEWLAND, New Westminster.
Application received 7th March, 1873.
Diplomas registered 7th March, 1873:—
A Diploma from the Victoria College, Coburg, Cannada, dated 2nd May, 1866.
Copy of the Registration of C. N. Trew in the Medical Registration Office, Canada.

MCINNES, LOFTUS ROBERT, New Westminster.
Application received 21st July, 1873.
Diploma registered 21st July, 1873:—
A Diploma from the Victoria College, Coburg, Canada, dated 3d May, 1863.
Certificate of receipt by L. R. McInnes, on the 12th April, 1868, of the Licence in Medicine and the Certificate in Midwifery, granted by the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh, Scotland.

MATTHEWS, JOSEPH BEAUCHAMP, Victoria.
Application received 21st January, 1874.
Diplomas registered 26th January, 1874:—
A Diploma from the Royal College of Surgeons, England, dated 2nd August, 1852.
A Diploma from the Society of the Art and Mystery of Apothecaries, of the City of London, England, dated 7th July, 1853.

MCINNES, THOMAS ROBERT. New Westminster.
Application received 21st May, 1874.
Diplomas registered 25th May, 1874:—
A Diploma from the Rush Medical College of Chicago, dated 3rd February, 1869.
A Diploma as Doctor of Medicine from the Bennett College of Chicago, dated 1st March, 1869.
A Certificate of Registration as a Member of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Ontario, Canada, dated 5th October, 1873.

CLUNESS DANIEL, Nanaimo.
Application received 14th December, 1874.
Diploma registered 14th December, 1874:—
A Diploma from the McGill University of Canada, dated 31st March, 1870.

JACKSON, WILLIAM, Victoria.
Application received 15th December, 1875.
Diploma registered 15th December, 1875:—
A Diploma from the Royal College of Surgeons, England, dated 21st December, 1855.

WALKEM, WILLIAM WYMOND,
Application received 13th March, 1876.
Diploma registered 13th March, 1876:—
A Diploma from the Queen's University, Kingston, Canada, dated 22nd April, 1873.

JAMES, PHILIP, Victoria.
Application received 30th March, 1876.
Diploma registered 30th March, 1876:—
A Diploma from the Reformed Medical College of New York, date obliterated in original. ad13

Militia Notice.

THE FOLLOWING EXTRACT FROM "AN Act respecting the Militia and Defence of the Dominion of Canada," is published for general information

83. Any person who resists any draft of men enrolled under this Act, or counsels or aids any person to resist any such draft, or in the performance of any service in relation thereto, or counsels any drafted man not to appear at the place of rendez-vous, or wilfully dissuades him from the performance of any duty required by law of Militiamen, shall, upon conviction thereof, be subject to a fine of not exceeding one hundred dollars, or to imprisonment not exceeding six months, or to both of the said punishments. ap12

COURT OF REVISION

On Municipal Assessment Roll. 1877

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A Sitting of this Court will be held on **Wednesday the 2d day of May at 12 noon,** To hear Appeals, at the City Council Chambers, Government street, and that all appellants must then and there appear personally.

Any person or persons wishing to appeal must send in a notice to that effect to the Clerk of the Municipal Council, on or before the 25th day of April, 1877,

By order of the Court,
WILLIAM LEIGH, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office, 31st March, 1877. ap7

Miscellaneous.

T. W. CARTER'S

BLACK HAWK MORGAN STALLION

WELLINGTON

Will make the season of 1877 at Hillside Farm, Victoria, commencing April 1st and ending July 1st.

Terms $15 for the Season, or $20 to insure.

Due care will be taken to prevent accident, but no responsibility assumed.

WELLINGTON will be taken to any Ranch in Victoria, Lake, Saanich, Metchosin or Esquimalt Districts on application to Postoffice Box 223, Victoria.

Description and Pedigree.

Wellington weighs 1355 pounds, is 17 hands high, five years and five months old, and his color is dark chestnut.

Wellington was sired by Hadley's Paul Jones, he by Paul Jones, by J. G. McCracken's Black Hawk, by David Hill or Vermont Black Hawk; Paul Jones' dam by imported Emigrant, he by Defense, he by Fortunate; Emigrant's dam by Candidate, he by Old Grogg. Dam by Comet, the Fish or Eastman horse of California, he by David Hill or Vermont Black Hawk, &c.

T. W. CARTER, Proprietor.
mh23dw3m Hillside Farm, Victoria.

J. SEHL,

Importer and Manufacturer of

FURNITURE,

In every variety, has just received at a Low Rate of Freight, direct from Eastern Manufacturers, the largest and best assortment of

Walnut, Parlor and Bedroom Suites,
EXTENSION & CENTRE TABLES,
Wardrobes, Desks,
PIER AND MANTLE MIRRORS,

Of the Finest Description, all of the Latest Styles, which I am enabled to sell at LOWER PRICES than ever before offered in the Province.

An inspection of the Goods and Prices will satisfy you of the fact.

SOLID WALNUT BEDROOM SUITES from $70 upward.

CHAIRS from 50 cents upward.

ALSO—Just received a fine

COLLECTION OF PICTURES,

Consisting of Steel and Mezzotint Engravings, Oleographs, Chromos, Photos and Lithographs,

Walnut, Rosewood and Rustic Frames and Mouldings,
Carved Brackets,
Cornices Window Blinds,
China and Cocoa Matting,
Carpets, Door Mats.

REVERSIBLE PERAMBULATORS,

Spring, Hair, Patent Curled Wool, Eureka and other MATTRESSES made to order by a first-class Upholsterer,

Carpets Sewed and Laid,

Everything warranted as represented.

Goods delivered to any part of the city Free of Charge. no12

NOTICE.

THE STEAMER

VICTORIA

Will commence running

Between Soda Creek and Quesnelle ON OR ABOUT MAY 10th.

ap4 A. S. BATES.
(Guardian copy.)

ROYAL MAIL STEAM PACKET CO'Y,

18 Moorgate Street, London,

THE ROYAL MAIL STEAM PACKET Company, having concluded arrangements with the Pacific Mail Company and the Panama Railroad Company, are prepared to convey

PASSENGERS & FREIGHT

Between VICTORIA & SOUTHAMPTON or LONDON

At Through Rates.

Particulars of which can be obtained at the office of

FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE,
Agents Royal Mail Steam Packet Co.
Wharf St.. 27th March, 1877. mh28 1m

STEAMER RELIANCE

WILL LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Yale

On Saturday, March 24th

WILL COMMENCE

Making Regular Trips

On the 3rd of April,

LEAVING

New Westminster, Monday and Saturday Mornings, and

Yale, Friday and Monday.

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OPPOSITION.

THE STEAMER

Glenora

Will leave New Wes'minster for Yale and Way Ports on April 14th, and will make Regular Trips, leaving New Westminster Wednesday and Saturday; and Yale on Monday and Friday.

Fer Freight or Passage apply to

GEO. ODIN, Captain.
Victoria, March 22, 1877. mh23

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

David C. Heal

HAVING REMOVED HIS PLACE OF business to

YATES STREET,

Opposite the Bank of British North America, and one door above Lewis Lewis'

Wishes to inform the public that he has on hand a Superior Stock of

Tinware & Stoves,

Which he offers for sale at the LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

Thanking his friends and the public for their former patronage, he asks a continuance of the same at his new store.

Miners' Outfits always on hand.

Jobbing done with neatness and dispatch.

Victoria, Feb. 12, 1877 fe13 3m

Ld. Lowenberg,

Real Estate Agent,

Government St., near corner of Broughton

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION to selling, purchasing and leasing property; in negotiating loans and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.

Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may beseen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads, or makin investments, will find on his Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street. Farming or Gardening Land in every District, some of which affords rare chance for investment.

Money on bond and mortgaget oan in sums to suit the demands.

Conveyances of every description done at reasonable ates. de1

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, and 5 in the evening. mh4

Miscellaneous.

To Pilots and Others interested in Pilotage Matters.

DOMINION OF CANADA.

Privy Council Chamber,
OTTAWA, 19th Feb., 1877.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the following Bylaws respecting Pilotage for the District of British Columbia, were submitted to and approved by His Excellency the Governor-General in Council on the 19th February, 1877.

W. A. HIMSWORTH,
Clerk Privy Council, Canada.

COPIES of the Bylaws above referred to may be obtained on application to the undersigned at the Pilotage Office, Bastion street.

The Pilotage Act, 1873, and the Bylaws drawn up and ratified as aforesaid in accordance with the same, are now in force in British Columbia, and are promulgated for the information of all whom it may concern.

All Pilotage Dues are compulsory.

By order of the Pilotage Authority,
EDGAR CROW BAKER,
Secretary and Treasurer, P.A.
Victoria, B.C., March 19, 1877. mh20

GOODACRE & DOOLEY,

Family Butchers,

S. E. Corner of Government and Johnson Streets,

Purveyors by Appointment to

THEIR EXCELLENCIES THE EARL AND COUNTESS OF DUFFERIN

And His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor.

THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF ISLAND and Mainland BEEF and MUTTON constantly on hand.

Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the city or suburbs with accuracy and dispatch Ships and Steamers supplied by contract LOW.

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FREDERICK REYNOLDS

FAMILY

BUTCHER,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

Meats and Vegetables,

PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO HER MAJESTY ROYAL NAVY.

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mh10 **LONDON MARKET**

A CARD.

EDITOR COLONIST— DEAR SIR:— I wish, through the medium of your widely circulated paper, to give my testimony in favor of the curative properties of **Dr. Willey's Discovery.**

Four months ago I was packed out of Cassiar and brought to Victoria in a helpless and speechless condition from paralysis. About ten days ago I began to use **Dr. Willey's Discovery** and almost immediately experienced relief. I am getting better all the time, can use my leg, arm and foot, which were paralyzed, almost as well as ever, and feel only too glad to recommend this truly great remedy to any poor fellows who may be afflicted as I was.

ATKINSON HACKETT.
Victoria, B.C., Feb. 7, 1877.

FOUNTAIN OF HEALTH.

The Great Swedish Herb Doctor,

John Willey's Discovery!

Dr. Willey's Wonderful and Scientific Discovery

Effects a SURE and PERMANENT CURE

— OF —

Chronic Diseases, Headache, Catarrah, Toothache, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds, Consumption, Spitting of Blood, Whooping Cough, Asthma, Paralysis, Rheumatic Pains, Fever and Ague, Neuralgia, Sprains, Swellings, Diseases of the Lungs and Liver.

May be had in Victoria at LANGLEY & CO'S. Yates street, and at MORRISON'S Drug Store, corner of Fort and Government streets. mh11dw3m

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REMOVAL.

Muirhead & Mann,

HAVE REMOVED THEIR PLACE OF business from Yates street to the

VICTORIA PLANING MILLS,

ROCK BAY BRIDGE,

Where they are prepared to manufacture with the

MOST IMPROVED

Wood Working Machinery

DOORS, SASHES, BLINDS,
MOULDINGS, &c., &c.

At LOWER RATES than the same Articles can be Imported.

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TO THE PUBLIC.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PROPRIEtor of THEATRE ROYAL, we have this day examined that building, and pronounce the same to be perfectly safe for any number of people that may CROWD into it.

JOHN TEAGUE,
EDWARD MALLANDAINE,
THOS. TROUNCE,
Architects.
SMITH & CLARK,
D. F. ADAMS,
HAYWARD & JENKINSON
MUIRHEAD & MANN,
GEORGE BAKER,
P. D. FORBES,
Builders.
Victoria, Feb. 19th, 1876. fe20tf

ON HING

Dealer in

Groceries, Dry Goods,

Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Hats and Caps

HAS REMOVED

To Johnson street, one door East of Eastman's Butcher Shop.

Manufactures Drawers, Undershirts, Overalls, etc., which he offers for sale by Wholesale and Retail, at Low Rates. o11

South Sea Island Shell Store.

SELLING OFF AT COST.

FRED'K KAYE

Next door to Bank Exchange, near Langley's, Yates Street.

HAS RETURNED TO THE SOUTH SEA Island Shell Store, where can be seen the handsomest display of Shells and other natural curiosities on the Pacific Coast. ap4

Insolvent Act of 1875.

Robert Paterson Rithet, Plaintiff. Henry D. Saunders, Defendant.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT HAS ISSUED in this cause.

C. T. DUPONT,
Official Assignee.
Victoria, April 7, 1877. ap11

REMOVAL

Mr. John Teague,

ARCHITECT,

Has removed his office to

Government Street, below Fort, opposite the Hook & Ladder House.

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New Advertisements.

NEW GOODS

HENRY SHORT,

Gun & Rifle Maker,

FORT ST., opp. Scotch House.

Has received from London direct, a Large Assortment of

DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELLED GUNS,

Central Fire Breech-Loaders,

FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY,

Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-loaders and a full assortment of Gun Tackle.

GUNS MADE TO ORDER. REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED

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Wholesale and Retail

BUTCHERS

Brick Building N. W. Corner of Yates and Broad Streets, Victoria, B. C.

YOUR FAVORS SOLICITED.

VICTORIA, Sept. 17, 1875 my5

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Arrival and Closing of Mails at Victoria.

Summer Arrangements from 1st April to 30th September, 1877.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain Europe, and U. S., via San Francisco	About the 3d, 13th, and 23d of each Month	On the 10th, 20th, & 30th of each month, at 10 A.M.
Do. via Tacoma.........	Monday and Thursday 3 P.M	Tuesday at 9.30 A.M. and Thursday at 6 P.M.
Australia, New Zealand, Sandwich Islands and Fiji Islands.	Irregular dates of arrival...	In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco every 4th Saturday from Ap'l 25.
China and Japan	Irregular dates of arrival...	In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco on 1st of each month.
Mexico, Central America, and South Pacific coast.	Irregular dates of arrival...	On the 10th 20th & 30th of each month at 10 A.M.
New Westminster & Burrard Inlet.	Wednesday and Saturday at 3 P.M.	Monday and Thursday at 6 P.M.
Barkerville, and Intermediate offices.	Saturday 3 P.M...........	Thursday at 6 P.M.
Nanaimo and intermediate offices.	Thursday at 5 P.M.........	Monday at 6 P.M.
Comox and intermediate offices.	Every alternate Friday at 5 P.M.	Every alternate Monday at 6 P.M.
Esquimalt...............	Daily at 10 A.M. and 2 P.M.	Daily, at 11:30 A. M. and 4:30 P. M.
Metchosin............ ...	Monday, 1 P. M............	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich.................	Wednesday, 9 A. M........	Wednesday, 12 M.
Sooke...................	Monday, 3 P.M............	Tuesday, 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS

Payable at Money Order Offices throughout the Dominion, Great Britain and Ireland, Newfoundland, and the United States, and at the offices at Barkerville, Clinton, Nanaimo, New Westminster and Yale, in this Province, can be obtained at this office.

OFFICE HOURS—From 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.
FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; on Saturdays from 9 A.M. to 12 noon

R. WALLACE, Post Office Inspector.
POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st April, 1876. my5

FRESH GOODS, NEW STYLES!

H. MANSELL

Has received LARGE ADDITIONS to his already

Well Selected Stock of

BOOTS & SHOES,

Which he offers at the LOWEST CASH PRICES.

Boots Made to Order. Repairing Neatly Done.

☞ Country Orders promptly attended to. ☜

Government Street, Victoria, opp. the Postoffice.

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P. T. Johnston & Co.,

SUCCESSORS TO

MITCHELL & JOHNSTON,

Nurserymen, Seedsmen & Florists,

HAVE ON HAND AND FOR SALE A large and choice selection of

Fruit Trees, Ornamental Trees & Shrubs,

which they offer for sale at the

LOWEST LIVING RATES.

Fresh Seeds now ready for Season of 1877

Priced Catalogues of Nursery Stock, Seed & Greenhouse Plants to be had on application.

No Connection with a Firm styling themselves Mitchell & Co.

NURSERY, Cadboro Bay Road.
SEED STORE, Occidental Building, Fort Street.
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JAMES BAY LUMBER YARD.

NOW LANDING EX SCHOONER EXPERIment,

First-class Lumber

From the Nanaimo Mills.

The undersigned will keep on hand a full assortment of lumber from the abovenamed mills, to which they solicit the attention of the trade.

ap12 DEWIEDERHOLD & CO., Agents.

TO VISITORS TO VICTORIA.

MESSRS. GEO. & LOUIS YOUNG,

HAVING PURCHASED THE

NEW ENGLAND BAKERY And Restaurant,

Have determined on supplying a want long felt by adding to their establishment a

Room for Ladies & Families Exclusively,

Where Meals can be served at all hours at MODERATE PRICES.

The experience of one of the partners at San Francisco and of the other for many years in Victoria will be a guarantee to the public that the reputation of this widely known and long established house will be maintained and increased in their hands.

THE BAKERY DEPARTMENT

Of the business will still be carried no as usual and

Bread, Pies, Wedding and other Cakes too numerous to mention

Will be produced of old in the finest style of art.

GEO. & LOUIS YOUNG,
mh24 Proprietors.

Hotels, Saloons, &c.

GLOBE INN.

GENTLEMEN WHO MAY VISIT ESQUImalt will find at the Globe Inn a

Card Left by Captain Hardy,

A perusal of which will be greatly to their advantage

THE BEST OF

WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS

To be had at the Inn, and a Road to the Cofferdam.

mh17 WM. M. SELLECK.

VICTORIA CLUB,

Capt. MARTIN'S BILLIARD SALOON,

FORT STREET.

Best Billiard Tables in the Province

Wines, Liquors and Cigars of the Best Qualities.

Captain Martin has been appointed sole agent in British Columbia for the celebrated firm of Jacob Strahl & Co., Billiard Manufacturers in San Francisco. Sole Agent for Delaney's Patent Wire Cushions.

Persons wishing to purchase Billiard Tables or any other article connected with the same will do well to apply to him. je4

Pacific Telegraph Hotel,

STORE STREET, BETWEEN HERALD AND FISGARD

Victoria, B. C.

Andrew Astrico, - - Proprietor

THE MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN Hotel in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle. The table is supplied with the very best the market affords.

MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining Rooms for Families.

CHARGES—Board and Lodging per Week, $5 50 to 6 50; Board and Lodging per Day $1. Single Meals 37½ cents; Beds, 50 cents.

TERMS—Cash in advance.

☞ Fire-proof Safe in the House. ☜

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COLONIAL HOTEL

TRANSFERRED TO THE

Driard House,

VIEW ST., VICTORIA.

First-Class Hotel and Restaurant.

SPECIAL ACCOMMODATION FOR FAMILIES.

Private Dining Rooms and Parlors.

BILLIARDS.

Nothing will be spared to render the guests as comfortable as any house on the Pacific Coast.

None but the very best (directly imported) Wines, Liquors and Cigars will be dispensed.

de14 L. S. LUCAS, Propr.

ANGEL HOTEL,

Langley St, Victoria. B. C.,

FRED. CARNE, - - - - Proprietor

RATES OF CHARGES:

Board and Lodging per Week..............	$6 00
Board per Week..........	5 00
Board and Lodging per Day..........	1 00
Single Meals..........	37½
Beads..........	50

☞ A Fireproof Safe in the House. fe3

MINERS' HOME,

FORT WRANGEL.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS LEAVE TO announce to his friends and the public generally that he has added to his buildings a

Large and Commodious House for the Accommodation of 200 Persons.

ALSO—A BAKERY.

☞ MEALS AT ALL HOURS.

H. SANDERSON.
VICTORIA, Jan. 22, 1877. ja23

ROCK BAY HOUSE

BETWEEN THE TWO BRIDGES,

ESQUIMALT ROAD.

IS ONE OF THE MOST COMFORTABLE Wayside Houses in the Province; and being furnished with the very best

ALES, WINES, LIQUORS & CIGARS

Is a favorite stopping-place for persons bound to and from Victoria.

My friends are invited to give me a call.

ja30 1m GUS. KOLP

PALACE HOTEL

SAN FRANCISCO.

GRADUATED PRICES,

Rooms with Board, $3 per Day.
Rooms with Board, $4 per Day.
Rooms without Board, $1 per Day,
And Upwards.

WARREN LELAND - - - LESSEE
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Irving W. Stroutt

IS PREPARED TO FORWARD

20,000 POUNDS OF FREIGHT

Each Trip, from

YALE TO SODA CREEK, Or CARIBOO,

The Coming Season.

☞ He will not hold himself responsible for damage to Oils and Liquids shipped in tin or glass; or for unavoidable detention caused by breakage of bridges, or roa..-slides, or loss or damage to goods through any other contingency beyond his control, unless by special contract made in writing in respect of such goods at the time of shipment. de14dwcm

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Improved Self-Acting Waterclosets.

I BEG TO ANNOUNCE TO THE PUBLIC in general that I have thoroughly examined the Self-acting Waterclosets erected by Messrs. STEWART & BRADEN, which are the first of the kind ever introduced on the Pacific Coast, and I do not hesitate to recommend them as being the best and most convenient Watercloset now in use,

I find upon close examination that there are neither cocks nor pans in connection with them, and the pipes are always free from water and guaranteed against frost.

I have examined Messrs. Shotbolt's and Saunders' on Johnson street; also, others in town, and would highly recommend them for public and private institutions and dwellings of all kinds.

Yours, &c.,
DAVID MUNRO.
VICTORIA, March 17, 1877. mh18

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SPA WATER

From Freiderichall, Germany.

LOSS OF APPETITE, INDIGESTION, Weariness and Melancholy, Constipation, Gout, Gravel and effects of Errors in Eating or Drinking are removed or prevented by its occasional use **without** lowering the system.

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